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In re Application of: FUNKE

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE IN RESPONSE TO THE PRESENCE OF A MAGNETIC FIELD AND/OR HIGH FREQUENCY RADIATION INTERFERENCE

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Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed 16 September 2005 which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three-months expiring 16 December 2005. Applicant submits this Amendment in advance of the expiration of said period for reply.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.